LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-Russell Brothers in "The Female Detective," 8:15 p.m. Chase's-Polite vaudeville, 8:15 p.m. Columbia-"Mama's Papa," 8:15 p.m. Kernan's-The New Majestics, 8:15 p.m. Lafayette-Florence Bindley in "The Street Singer," 8:15 p.m. National-"Ben-Hur," 8 p.m.

3-Burner Gasoline Stove, \$3.75. A. Eberly's Sons, 718 7th n.w.

Try Reisinger's Strawberry Ice Cream, \$1.00 gal., 50c.1/2 gal. 235 G st. 'Phone M.2767.

Terrence Mahan, forty years old, whose home is at 319 S street northeast, was taken sick at Pennsylvania avenue and 5th street yesterday afternoon. He was given treatment at the Emergency Hos-

Great Bear a Pure Spring Water. 4 gallons for 50c. Office, 704 11th.

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to health if your choice is always Abner-Drury Brewing Co.'s "Old Glory" Beer. It combines purity, age and tonic properties with marked deliciousness. 'Phone W. 436

A slight blaze occurred in the house of John Spring, 901 4th street southeast, yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The fire department went to the house in response to an alarm turned in from box 57, but the blaze had been extinguished before the firemen reached the house.

35c. lb. for Candies Usually 60c. Not a few, but all varieties, are included. GEO. B. SHEETZ, 10th and F sts.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

While playing on the street near his home, yesterday afternoon, James Parker, colored, eight years old, living at No. 40

A runaway automobile of the United States Express Company attracted the attention of pedestrians in the vicinity of 14th and F streets northwest about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The vehicle was left in front of 507 14th street, and soon after the operator entered the build-ing to attend to some business it started off. A buggy belonging to C. L. Jeffrey was in the path of the heavy vehicle and was slightly damaged. After this vehicle

Now is the time to contract.-Advt.

Naval Battalion Practice Ship.

The United States naval tug Oneida, the smaller practice ship of the naval battalbeen kept in port by some minor work, the of fencing. calking of her decks and other small repairs. The work is being hurried under the supervision of Boatswain Dowling, U. ernoon and not returning until Monday morning. On this trip she will be taken out on Chesapeake bay for practice work.

Miscellaneous Wants.

There are many things of interest in the is inserted three times.

THE THEATER.

National Theater. The performance of "Ben Hur" at the

National Theater last evening was witnessed by a fair-sized audience. The inherent interest of the story doubtless will always command a respectful hearing for the piece so long as it is presented on the stage, and the audience last night manifested its appreciation of the performance by unmistakable signs. The production combines scenic picturesqueness, thrilling dramatic situations and impressive incidents of a historic period, which, when properly presented, cannot fail to touch the religious sensibilities of the masses. There is something in the story as enacted that appeals to every nature, filled as it is with human interest and action and dealing with a momentous event in the history of mankind. The producers, in placing the story upon the stage, have displayed a commendable zeal in preserving the reverent spirit of the story as written by Gen. Lew Wallace, and this spirit is not sacrificed at any time to theatric effect. The principal male roles in the present production for the most part are portrayed by capable actors, while the mechanical appurtenances which make the performance strikingly spectacular and re-alistic are of the same excellent character as those employed in the first production of the piece here three years ago. The women members of the cast do work less satisfactory than that of the men.

Mr. Orrin Johnson, in the title role, gave an interesting performance. The handsome and appropriate costumes of the immense chorus add to the attractiveness of the performance and the dances are well exe-cuted.

Columbia Theater.

Joseph Hart and Carrie De Mar, who of late years have impersonated characters that do things weekly in comic supplements, have come to town with a new vehicle which bears the decidedly uncertain title-"Mama's Papa." It remains vague at the final descent of the curtain, for although Mama apparently has two husbands, and Papa is blessed with a couple of wives, one black, the audience is not favored with a sight of or even a remote reference to the paternal parent of mama. "Foxy Grandpa" has not been favored with a worthy successor in "Mama's Papa." The latter is announced Jackson street northeast, cut his foot by stepping upon a piece of glass. He restepping upon a piece of glass. He re-ceived treatment at the Emergency Hos-pital. Mildred Pfleigers, six years old, living much rough and tumble work, a great at 801 F street southwest, was struck by deal of hilarious action, and offers an ex-Officer Farquhar's bicycle and knocked cuse for the introduction of a generous down. The accident occurred near the child's home. She was taken to her home, where it was found she had an accident occurred of which are pleasing. The accident occurred of which are pleasing. child's home. She was taken to her home, where it was found she had sustained no injury.

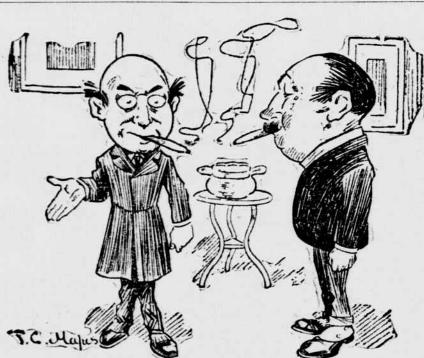
of which are pleasing. "Four O'Clock on Broadway" is a novelty. The Flatiron building on a windy day is introduced. By the use of a trapdoor and electric fans beneath the stage the skirts of the show girls are blown to an altitude decidedly more than knee high. The company in-cludes Carrie Behr in a German character

The Lafayette Opera House.

Florence Bindley appears at the Lafayette Opera House this week with a company of was signify damaged. After this vehicle was signify damaged, but nobody was inplayers who afford a background for her made, because the heroine assumes the character of a wandering singer and piano V. Baldwin Johnson's Coal, 612 9th St. player in order to escape a wicked old man's attentions and protect her aged father from imprisonment for an act he did the success of Apollinaris water, which is not commit. There are four acts, and in each there are a number of interesting songs. A duel with swords at the end of the second is the most exciting thing in the drama, and, in fact, indicates that Miss ion, did not go down the river on her regular practice cruise Saturday night, having low Cooper, are pretty well versed in the art

Chase's Theater.

People who go to Chase's this week will from Baltimore yesterday and inspected the S. N., and the Oneida will be ready to be wise to leave any letters containing pristart down the river Saturday. It is stated vate information at home, for the Zancigs that this cruise will be a longer one than do a thought-transference act as the main event on a big program at the "home of polite vaudeville" and some embarrassing fighting apparatus, as well as her boiler. disclosures might be made. Some time ago reference was made to the fact that the vaudeville managers had robbed the circus and the legitimate stage of its most entertaining features, and now it shows an in-Sale Miscellaneous and Want Miscellaneous columns of The Star. The rate for advertising under either of these heads is one cent a word each time if the advertisement the star in the star means of livelihood. Who wants to pay \$1 to a flufly-haired old woman with paste



VERY KIND.

The Cityite-"Where did you get the silver loving cup?" Suburbanite-"My neighbors who used my telephone and snow shovel pre-



"Our fuel bill is smaller this month," says the husband, who is going over the

jewelry, dreamy eyes and a garlicky breath for a demonstration of the occult when the same can be had with sundry song and dance trimmings for the small price of a seat at Chase's? The Zancigs read numbers on bills, dollar bills, five-dollar bills, and even on twenties, if any are present. The demonstration was highly entertaining and was generously applauded. The bill opened with Newell and Niblo. experts with the saxophone, violin and xylophone; Mme. Amoros, assisted by Mile. Charlotta, made results of Newton's creek theory of gravinaught of Newton's great theory of gravi-tation; Louis Wesley contributed a variety of vocalities; Toney Wilson and Mile. Hel-

olse showed how clever people can be on the trapeze; Miss May Belfort began what promises to be an interesting tour as a singing comedienne, and Wilfred Clarke, claiming fame as an "own nephew to Ed-

win Booth," presenting a pleasing comedy,
"No More Trouble," with the assistance of
Miss E. Demott, Miss Theo Carew and
Archie Gillies. The points of difference between the nev

Academy of Music.

The Russell brothers, who last season were seen in vaudeville as the Irish servant girls, opened a week's engagement at the is mainly a vehicle to afford these wellknown comedians a chance to get in their Charles H. Philips, Blanche Leighton, Margaret M. Lewis and Annie Conroy Rus-

Kernan's Lyceum Theater. The New Majestic Burlesquers, under the management of W. F. Ballauf, is this week's attraction at Kernan's Lyceum Theater. The two burlesques, "In the Tender-

When you need Butter ask for Elk Grove

Severe Hail Storm.

The officers of the steamer Harry Randall report having passed through a severe hailstorm Sunday while the vessel was lying in a creek. The storm came from the north, lasted for a half hour or longer, and covered the ground thickly with a coating of ice. The hailstones were as large young wheat and garden crops, besides breaking numerous windows. The storm was general over the lower part of the northern neck and caused a fall of about twenty degrees in the temperature in an

Silverware Should Be Stored

livered without additional charge.-Advt.

Water in the Daily Diet.

The important place that mineral waters are taking as a daily necessity is very noticeable. The consumption although enormous is constantly increasing. The bottling of waters at the various springs in Maine, New York, Wisconsin, Colorado, California and other states gives employment to many thousands of people. industry in this country is of comparatively recent date, and received its impetus from bottled at a spring of that name in Germany. Another foreign water that has come into notice within the last few years is Apenta, coming from distant Budapest. Hungary, a locality noted for its aperient water springs.

Inspected Big Steamer.

Inspector of Hulls Wright and Assistant Inspector of Boilers Staunton came over big steamer Newport News of the Norfolk and Washington Company. The steamer was gone over from stern to stem; all her life-preservers, boats and equipments, firepumps and other machinery, were gone over. Everything was found in a satisfactory condition, and the steamer passed with flying colors.

After they completed work on the Newport News the inspectors went aboard the steamer Northumberland of the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company and inspected her. The examination was a thorough one, but the Northumberland also passed and will have her license renewed.

At a Meeting of Directors of the Franklin (Fire) Insurance Company, May 1st, the customary semi-annual dividend of five (5) per cent was declared. W. P. Young, secretary.—Advt.

No Skeleton in the Cranch House.

To the Editor of The Star: Some one sent me a clipping from your valuable paper of a recent date telling of an articulated skeleton alleged to have been found in demolishing an old residence on Delaware avenue, formerly occupied by the late Judge Cranch, supreme justice of the District from 1805 to 1856.

As a former "cave-dweller" in that particular cave in 1854 and 1855, I claim to know something of the matter, both from observation and family history, and I am certain that no one ever occupied any part of the house at any time with my grandfather, Judge Cranch, for his own family fully took up all the available room. Possibly the skeleton was found in the house adjoining his, for The Star says it was found in the "house next door to the Cas-ualty Hospital," and the house occupied up to 1855 by Judge Cranch was, at the time of its demolition, the Casualty Hospital it-self. The first house in the block with a garden lot on the corner was the Cranch residence (the old knocker of which is now on my house in Erle); the next house was occupied. I believe, by John Hitz, father of the present John Hitz of the Volta bureau; the next one was occupied for many years by Carroll Brent, his sister, Mrs. Chilton, and his mother. But, if there were any skeletons around, they never came to the krowledge of Judge Cranch or any member of his family. EDWARD CRANCH. Erie, Pa.

Something Every Home Should Have on hand at all times is a bottle of "Old Braddock" Md. Rye, the great medicinal whiskey. Order it. At quality dealers'.— Advertisement.

Young Men's Club Meeting.

The Young Men's Club of the North Capitol M. E. Church held its monthly meeting yesterday evening. The usual business was dispensed with and a delightful musical and literary entertainment, in which nearly every member took part, was given. Mr. Edward Hutchinson sang two baritone selection. Wm. E. Andrews, auditor of the treasury, delivered an interesting lecture "Things of Practical Use." on "Things of Practical Use." A collation was then served, during which Rev. Harold Rider, pastor of the church, acted as toastmaster. The entertainment closed with banjo and guitar selections by Mr. Steve Clements and

Canal Boating Season Opened.

Jessie Vehmyer.

The boating season on the Chesapeake and Ohio canal opened yesterday with the loading of ten boats. The boats will not clear the wharf before today, when the No. 11, Capt. Taylor Read, with 113 tons of coal, billed to Georgetown, will go out.



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TO CONDEMN GROUND.

of Columbia. Attorney A. Leftwich Sinclair, representing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, today instituted in the Supreme Court of the District the first proceeding for the condemnation of ground for the opening of an alley, under the new alley aw recently passed by Congress, approved February 23, 1905.

The ground to be condemned is in block Ingleside, bounded by Mt. Pleasant street, Lowell street, 18th street and Howard avenue, and the alley is to be opened pursuant to the request of more than one-half of the real estate owners in

alley law and the old are that the former provides for a jury of five residents of the District to fix the damages and benefits re-sulting from the opening of the alley, in-stead of twelve citizens, and requires that Academy last evening in a farce tragedy, entitled "The Femade Detectives." In spite of its sensational incidents the play is mainly a vehicle to afford these wellupon each lot of ground in the square or block confronting the square in which the side-splitting absurdities. The Russell brothers appear as Tom and Jerry Clancey, the detectives. The cast includes William Markert, as Grandpa Pratt; Antoinette block through which the alley was opened, Markert, as Grandpa Pratt; Antoinette block through which the alley was opened Hart, as Dot the Waif; Edgar Foreman, which was considered by many to be un-

Proceedings for the opening of alleys were formerly had before a jury of twelve citizens summoned by the United States marshal for the District of Columbia, upon application by the District Commissioners, without the intervention of the court. In the matter of the extension of 14th treet northwest from Lydecker avenue to Piney Branch road, the jury late yesterday afternoon heard the evidence of William ater. The two burlesques, in the loin" and "For Girls Only," are well put on, while the olio is about the strongest on, this house this season.

atternoon attention M. Terell, H. Rozier Dulaney, Arthur S. Mattingly, William O. Ray, Albert E. Mc-Laughlin, Luther S. Fristoe and Harold Laughlin, Luther S. Fristoe and Harold E. Doyle, witnesses for the District, on the question as to whether the benefits growing out of the extension of the street will equal the damages. The witnesses mentioned agreed that the benefits will equal or exceed the damages. Assistant Corporation Counsel Sinclair had several other witnesses under sub-

ocena, but they did not appear, some of them being out of the city.

Attorneys Leighton and Williams, who represent Miss Isobel H. Lenman, anounced to the jury that they would finish the taking of their testimony in one aftering of ice. The hailstones were as large as marbles and did considerable damage throughout the country, knocking the blossoms off the fruit trees, cutting up the some off the fruit trees, cutting up the sumed. It is thought that the hearing will be resumed. It is thought that the hearing will be concluded not later than Friday next.

Floral Beauties.

The display at Gude's is exceptionally fine. Specimen American Beauties. 1214 F st.— Advertisement.

in the special silver vaults of Union Trust Co., 1414 F st. n.w. Silver called for and de-Mark Twain has a new claim to fame He is the first author who ever used the typewriter. That was over thirty years ago, and the machine was the first model made by the Remingtons; the kind that was enclosed in a wooden case, wrote capitals only, and had a foot treadle for the return of the carriage.

In a recent number of Harper's Weekly Mark describes the first letter he ever wrote on the machine. It was in reply to a youthful collector of autographs, who, by the way, was Edward Bok, now editor of the Ladies' Home Journal. Mark was obliging. He furnished the autograph letter, and long one it was, in type machine capitals, signature and all.

Thought to Be Insane.

Harvey Peabody was arrested this morning about 5:30 o'clock and locked up at the sixth precinct station on suspicion that he is insane. He was found on Pennsylvania avenue by Policeman McKeever. He had a handkerchief tied about his head, and apman stopped him and asked where he was going, he said he had no time to talk. He was detained, however, until the officer thought his mind was troubling him, and he then took the young man to the police station. Peabody said he had walked here from his home near Vienna, Va., where he lives with his mother. He is being held for an examination to determine his mental condition, and his friends have been notified of his whereabouts.

Money to lend at 4, 5 and 6% on real esate. Frank T. Rawlings Co., 1505 Pa. ave -Advertisement.

To Be Repaired at Alexandria. The New York tug A. J. Hoole, with two large barges in tow, has arrived at Alexandria from New York and is lying at the Alexandria shipyard, where the tug and parges will be put in condition for service. The Hoole and the barges have recently been purchased by the Chesapeake Sand and Gravel Company of this city, and will be used to bring sand and gravel from points on the lower river to this city. The points on the lower river to this city. The company owning the boats has just been formed and will begin business on the Potomac shortly. A description of the Hoole was given in The Star several days ago.

Elk Grove Butter is generously good.—Advertisement.

Railway Conductors' Convention.

The Grand Division, Order of Railway Conductors, which will hold its annual convention in Portland, Ore., May 9, will have as delegates and visitors from this city and Baltimore the following: R. C. Moore, H. Long, D. S. Hildebrandt and wife, G. W. Brashears and wife, Thomas Shipley and

The party will leave this evening over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company at 5:30 o'clock, arriving in Portland some time during Saturday. They will stop off at Chi-cago and St. Paul. Returning, they will take in San Francisco, Seattle and Mexico.

Special Sale of Storage Goods at Sloan's, 1407 G st., Thursday at 10 a.m.-Ad

Labrador Medical Mission.

Mr. Charles J. Bell, treasurer, acknowledges receipt of the following additional subscriptions to Dr. Grenfell's Labrador Medical Mission: Geo. B. Merriman, \$5; W. Clifford Platt, \$1; Dr. Z. I. Nutt. \$2; cash, \$5; Mrs. M. J. Perry, \$5; Miss Bessie J. Kibbey, \$25; Samuel Shellabarger, \$10.

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CHARGED WITH MURDER.

That Needed for An Alley by District Italian Locked Up Last Night by Local

Police. An Italian named Alfonso Giametto, twenty-five years old, was locked up at the fourth precinct police station last night because Policeman Wilson was told that he is wanted in Italy to answer a charge of having killed his brother-in-law. Giametto was employed on the railroad works in South Washington and one of his fellowcountrymen alleged that he had threatened to kill him. This allegation was followed by an investigation on the part of the policeman. He was told that Giametto had recently received a letter from relatives in Avigliano, Basilicata, Italy, in which sor-row was expressed for his having killed his brother-in-law. After the Italian had been locked up a message was sent to Naples asking if the prisoner is wanted there for alleged murder. Capt. Boardman communicated with the Italian representatives here this morning, but they knew nothing of the reported murder.

"Royal Pilsen" Costs the Dealer \$9 bbl.-more than double what other beers cost. It costs you 5c. glass, same as the ordinary kind.-Abner-Drury Brewing Co.-Advertisement.

D. R. Delegates Entertained. A number of delegates of the Society of the Daughters of the Revolution reached this city yesterday, as stated by The Star. They came from Asheville, N. C., where the fourteenth annual meeting of the society was held. This forenoon the delegates were received by Mrs. Darling at 1907 N street northwest. A feature of the reception at Mrs. Darling's home was a reception at Mrs. Darling's nome was a special program of music, Prof. Adolf Glose rendering national airs.

Among those in the party are: Mrs. D. Phoenix Ingraham, Brooklyn; Mrs. F. Ingraham, Hempstead, N. Y.; Mrs. D. N. Vanderveer, Brooklyn; Mrs. H. A. Grant, Tarrytown, N. V. Miss Mary Kent, Clifton Tarrytown, N. Y.: Miss Mary Kent, Clifton Heights, Pa.; Mrs. C. M. Moody, Philadel-phia; Mrs. Henry T. Kent, Philadelphia; Mrs. Edmund Terry and Miss Marion Terry, Brooklyn: Mrs. Josephine Wandell, Brook lyn; Miss Mary Ordway, Dorchester, Mass. Mrs. J. A. Heath, Boston; Mrs. John Snydan, Brooklyn: Mrs. W. T. Coxford, New York: Mrs. E. W. Fairchild and Miss Agnes D. Fairchild, Monticello, N. Y.; Mrs. W. E. Fulton, Waterbury, Conn.; Miss Harriet Kissam and Miss Josephine Kissam, Peeks-kill, N. Y.; Mrs. F. C. Grange, Randolph, Mass.; Mrs. Clinton Viles, Brookline, Mass.; Mrs. James C. Hale, Brooklyn; Mrs. W. J. Weller, Brooklyn: Mrs. F. A. Dreer, Philadelphia; Mrs. J. R. Eand and Miss Florence A. Rand, Montclair, N. J.; Mrs Robert Ward, Orange, N. J., and Mrs. E. G. Hern-

There's No Higher Printing Standard than that constantly maintained at Byron S. Adams', 512 11th st. n.w. See samples.— Advertisement.

Changes in Buoyage.

don, Philadelphia.

The lighthouse service authorities have given notice of the following changes in buoyage on nearby waters made recently These changes are of particular interest

Potomac River, Md.-Smith Point flats upper buoy, No. 1, a second-class can, found missing, was replaced April 26, Nomini Creek, Va., Potomac River.—El-bow Point flats buoy, No. 4, and Hickory Point shoal buoy, No. 8, each a spar, found missing, were replaced April 25. Mattox Creek, Va., Potomac River.— Channel buoy, No. 1, a spar, found missing, was replaced April 24.

Northeast Branch Star Office. Leave advertisements for The Evening Star at Kenealy's Prescription Pharmacy,

831 North Capitol street. Movements of Revenue Cutters.

The United States revenue cutter William Window, employed on the Chesapeake

more, has gone out of service at the cutter station for her spring repairs, cleaning and painting. She will be laid up for The revenue cutter Seminole, from the Wilmington, N. C., station, is on her way to the Arundel Cove station far a general overhauling, cleaning and painting. The cutter Apache will complete her preparations for service and will sail in a day or two for her station on the Gulf of Mexico, with headquarters at Galveston.

Death of W. G. Watson. William George Watson, eldest son of John M. Watson, died this morning at 5 o'clock, after a comparatively short illness.

A Tired Stomach

Does not get much good for you out of what you eat, for it does not digest much-it is wasteful. It feels sore and lame and is easily distressed and often upset by food. The best treatment is a course of

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grows, when you get the real thing. We give you the genuine article, fresh roasted every morning by an experienced hand in our patent dry roaster—40c. Breakfast Cocoa—A new package and a new price—one-pound tin, full weight, only 35c.

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CHRISTIAN XANDER'S OLD DIXIE One of my 18 standard varieties, \$1.25 a quart.

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CAN SHOVEL SNOW NOW. But It is Hoped No Opportunity Will

Arise Shortly. A new snow-sweeping machine has been received by the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Railway Company from the manufacturers in the north, but it is hoped there will be no immediate use for it. The failure of the company to have proper appliances for keeping its tracks open and in proper condition for service during last winter's heavy snows was one of the chief counts in the indictments of the Mt. Vernon road by the people of Alexandria before the Virginia state railroad

commission last winter.

The arrival of the new machine will do away with this complaint, as it will be taken to the power house and at once made ready for service. The new sweeper was on a flat car lying on the Rosslyn siding this morning, and will be delivered at the Four Mile run power house this afternoon.

Popular Engineer Killed.

Harry E. Sherwood who, for more than thirty years has been in the employ of the Pennsylvania railroad as an engineer, and regarded as one of the speedlest on the Maryland division, was killed at Binstead station, Del., yesterday afternoon by stepping from the train shed directly in front of a southbound express train.

Mr. Sherwood was forty-five years old, and was known from this city to Philadelphia as "Pud." He was famed for his spectacular runs, and was popular. One afternoon he astonished the train dispatchers by running five miles south of Claymont station in three minutes, at the rate of 100 miles an hour.

Proceedings for Divorce.

Proceedings for divorce have been instituted in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia by C. Blanche Markwell, through Attorney Chester Howe, against William L. Markwell. Infidelity is alleged.

CITY ITEMS.

Keep the Teeth Free From Tartar by using my Dentist Tooth Brush-it goes in all the little nocks and corners. 25c. Atkinson's, 11th and G streets.

Old Carpets Woven Into Reversible rugs. Drop postal. Nonpareil, 240 9th st. n.e.

Special Auction Sale New Furniture, by catalogue, within our salesrooms, 1227 and 1229 G st., Friday at 10:30 a.m. An op-portunity to buy cheaply handsome furnishlings in mahogany and other woods for the dining room, bed room, parlor, library and office. Now on view. See them. Wilson &

old, was taken suddenly ill last night at her home, 711 Delaware avenue south-west. The ambulance was summoned and the sick woman was taken to the Emergency Hospital for treatment.

Sarah Slater, colored, thirty-two years

The Whiskey of Pure Quality. "Private Stock," \$1 full quart bottle, Don-nelly's, 14th & I sts. 'Phone M. 1296. 1t

Decorative Art. Ladies' Exch., 807 Vt. ave.

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The Prejudice of Careful People against "bakers' bread" has been dispelled completely by Jno. G. Meinberg's Bread. It's the most delicious—the most nourishing. At

your grocer's. Bakery, 716 11th st. s.e.

Irman Swann, colored, twenty-two years old, who lives at 240 F street southwest, was treated at the Emergency Hospital last night about 9 o'clock for a slight scalp wound. She said a colored man had hit her with a stick.

Best Family Flour, \$5.50 bbl.; matches, 9½c. doz. Johnston's, 731 7th st. n.w. 1t*

Standard Rotary Shuttle Sewing Machines have all the latest and most desirable improvements. Automatic drop head, chain and lock stitch. Easy terms. Jos. H. Fiske, Mgr., 602 9th st. n.w. & 205 Pa. ave. s.e.

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Eisinger Bros., 2109 7th St. N. W. All good kinds of lumber. The most satisfactory prices, prompt delivery. Phone N.777, my1-d,eSu,-3

Detective Patrick O'Brien returned home this morning from Colorado Springs, where he went to look after the case of Newell B. Brakenridge, who is alleged to have passed a worthless check for \$55 on George T. Keen. The prisoner was given a hearing before a Victor was given a hearing before a United States commissioner in Denver Saturday morning and was held to answer the charge against him here. Brakenridge, it is charged, purchased clothing from Mr. Keen's establishment and gave the check in payment for the purchase. He will be brought here by the United States mar-

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